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SUBJECT: VISAS FOR ROC CULTURAL GROUPS

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1. EMBASSY MADE ANOTHER INQUIRY SEPTEMBER 3 ABOUT TRAVEL OF ROC CULTURAL AND GOODWILL GROUPS TO US OVER NEXT TWO MONTHS. WE STRESSED THIS TIME WE WOULD BE PLEASED IF MOFA COULD CHECK WITH MOE AND OTHER SPONSORING MINISTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS AND GIVE US ROC'S BESTIMATE OF FORTHCOMING TRAVELS. WE NOTED THAT TWO GROUPS HAD APPLIED SINCE OUR LAST CONVERSATION, THE CYCLING TEAM AND THE NEO CLASSIC DANCERS.

2. MOFA INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR T.K. CHU REPEATED TO US THE DIFFICULTIES INVOLVED IN TRACKING DOWN ALL ROC POTENTIAL ITINERANTS BUT PROMISED HE WOULD MAKE THE EFFORT AND REPORT THE RESULT TO US. WE ARE HOPEFUL THIS IS A STEP FORWARD.
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